

LCLS-II Cryomodule and Cryogenic Distribution Control

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Abstract

LCLS-II is a superconducting upgrade to the existing Linear Coherent Light Source at SLAC. Construction is underway with a planned continuous wave beam rate of up to 1 MHz. Two cryogenic plants, a distribution system, and 37 cryomodules with superconducting cavities will operate with liquid helium at 2.2K. The process is controlled with networked PLC's and EPICS as an integrated system that work in concert for controlling valves, pressure, flow, and temperature. Interlocks and critical process information are communicated with the low level radio frequency, vacuum, and magnet systems. Engaging the controls community proved vital in advancing the controls architecture from a conventional design to a centralized, reliable, and cost-effective distributed platform.

LCLS-II Parameters

Parameter	symbol	nominal	range	units
Electron Energy	E_f	4.0	2.0 - 4.5	GeV
Bunch Charge	Q_b	100	10 - 300	pC
Bunch Repetition Rate in Linac	f_b	0.62	0 - 0.93	MHz
Average e^- current in linac	I_{avg}	0.062	0.0 - 0.3	mA
Avg. e^- beam power at linac end	P_{av}	0.25	0 - 1.2	MW
Norm. rms slice emittance at undulator	$\gamma\varepsilon_{\perp-s}$	0.45	0.2 - 0.7	μm
Final peak current (at undulator)	I_{pk}	1000	500 - 1500	A
Final slice E-spread (rms, w/heater)	σ_{Es}	500	125 - 1500	keV
RF frequency	f_{RF}	1.3	-	GHz
Avg. CW RF gradient (powered cavities)	E_{acc}	16	8 - 20	MV/m
Avg. Cavity Q0	Q_0	2.7e10	1.5 - 5e10	-
Photon energy range of SXR (SCRF)	E_{phot}	-	0.2 - 1.3	keV
Photon energy range of HXR (SCRF)	E_{phot}	-	1 - 5	keV

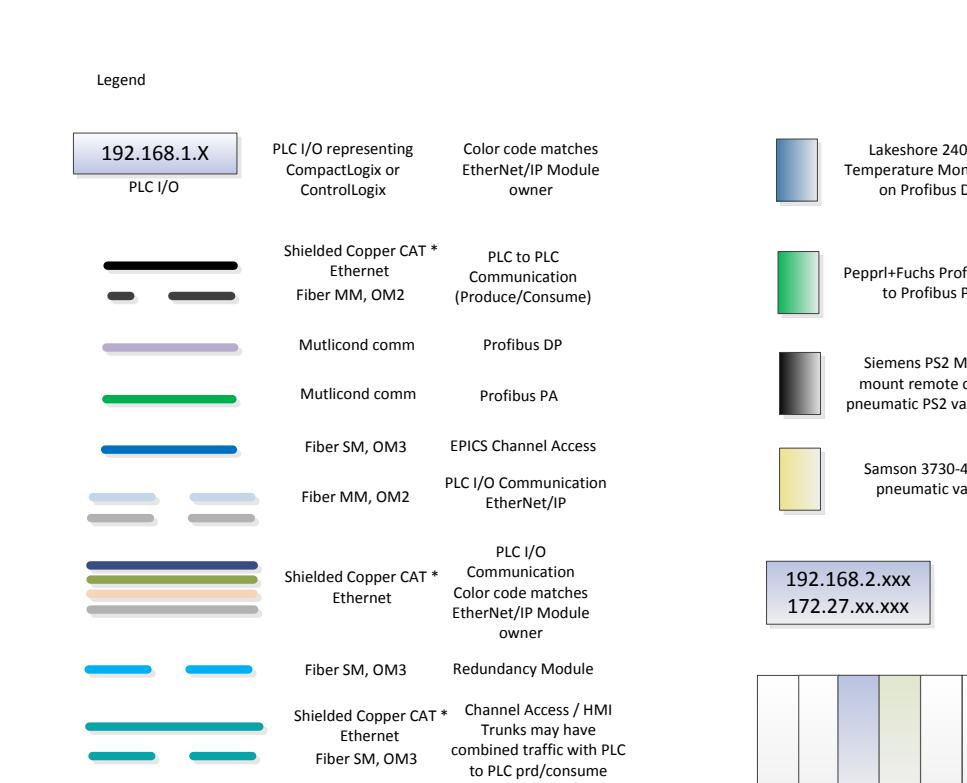
Cryomodule Signals (~x37)

Instruments	Controllers	He Vessel	Couplers	Magnet	Vac Vessel	He Lines	He Level Cans	Total
Cernox	Lakeshore 240	4		2		2		8
Silicon Diode	Lakeshore 240		16	6		5		27
PT103	Lakeshore 240					3		3
Heater Control	Acopian PS	8		1		3	2	14
Pressure	MKS						2	2
Liquid Level	AMI						2	2
Voltage Taps	Conditioner			9				9
Flux (CMTF)	Bartington				*5			5
Valve Control	PS2				2			2
Total		12	16	18	7	13	6	72

Distribution System Signals

Instruments	Controllers	US DB	DS DB	FC1	FC2	FC3	FC4	FC5	FC6	US EC	DS EC	Total
Cernox	Lakeshore 240	19	19	10	9	9	9	9	9	8	9	110
PT103	Lakeshore 240	2	2									4
Heater Control	Acopian PS or EPOWER	2	2	1						1	2	8
Pressure	Strain Gauge on ECs	13	13							3	3	32
Vacuum	MKS	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2			16
Valve Control	PS2 (caps) Samson (db)	5	5	1							1	12
Total		43	43	14	11	11	11	11	11	12	15	182

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Centralized, Redundant PLC Chassis

